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HUMAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT
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ASSISTANCE FROM WORLD BANK UNDER TEQI PROGRAMME
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Will the Minister of HUMAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT be pleased to state:

(a) whether the World Bank has sanctioned any financial assistance under Technical Education Quality Improvement Programme (TEQIP) to improve the infrastructure and facility in the technical institutes in the country;

(b) if so, the details thereof; and

(c) the manner in which the Government plans to utilise the said funds,State-wise?

Answer

MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF HUMAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT(SMT. D. PURANDESWARI)

(a) & (b): This Ministry is implementing the Technical Education Quality Improvement Programme of Government of India (TEQIP) as World Bank assisted project to improve the quality of technical education and enhance existing capacities of the institutions to become dynamic,demand-driven,quality conscious,efficient and forward looking, responsive to rapid economic and technological developments occurring both at national and international levels.The project became effective in March, 2003 and will be closing on 31st March,2009.It is being implemented as a centrally co-ordinated central and state sector project at a total cost of Rs. 13393 million, out of which 85% is reimbursable by the World Bank.The project covers 109 state institutions from the 13 States and 18 centrally funded institutions.

(c): The funds are being utilised for institutional development and system management capacity improvement for improving the efficiency and effectiveness of technical education management system in the States and institutions selected under the programme.The list of selected States and Centrally Funded Institutions(CFIs) including National Project Implementation Unit (NPIU) alongwith their allocation and its utilization as on 31st December,2008 is annexed.